



MODEL ANALYSIS FOR THE MAGIC TELESCOPES

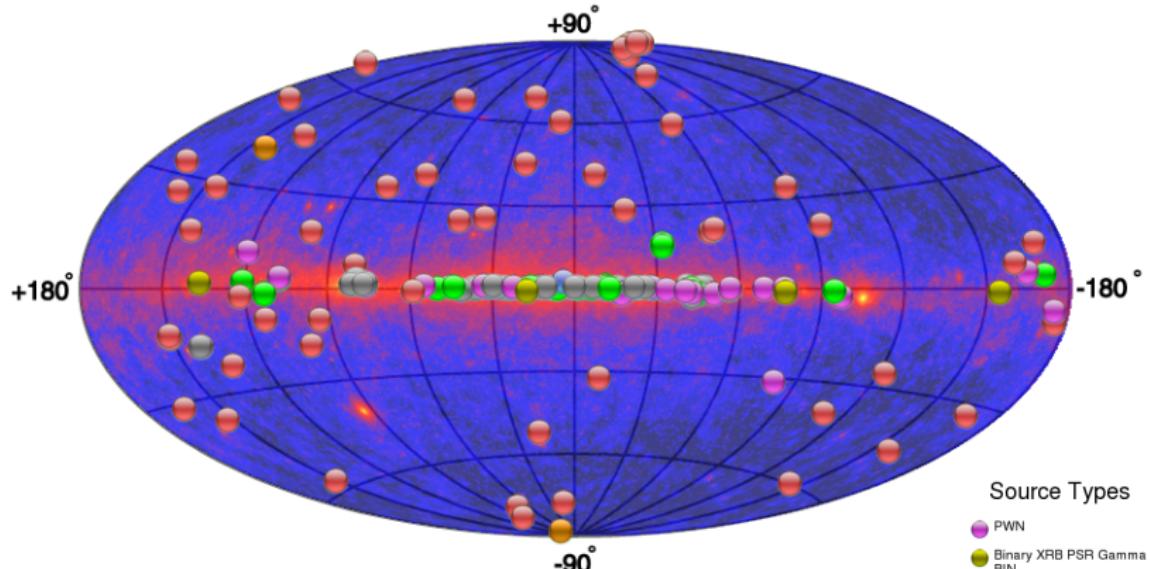
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Outline

- ▶ MAGIC telescopes
- ▶ Current analysis
- ▶ Model analysis

The sky in gamma rays

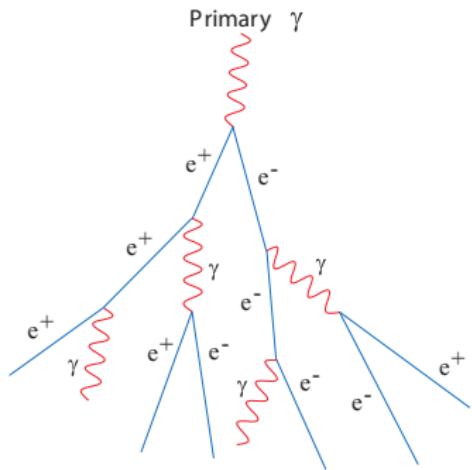


<http://tevcat.uchicago.edu/>

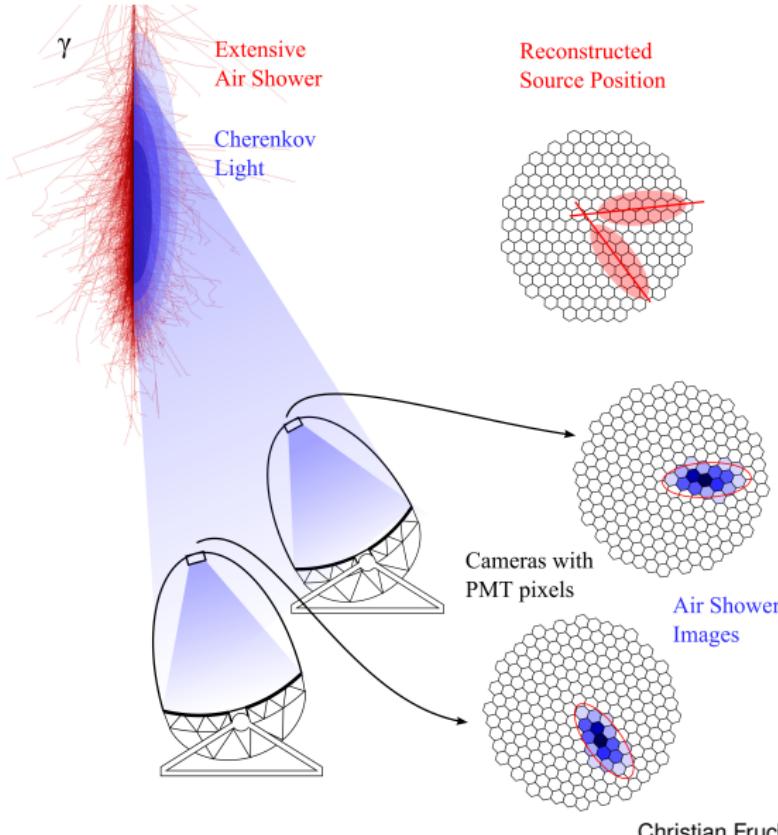
Air Cherenkov telescopes opened new domain of astronomy at very high energies ($E > 100$ GeV)



Electromagnetic shower

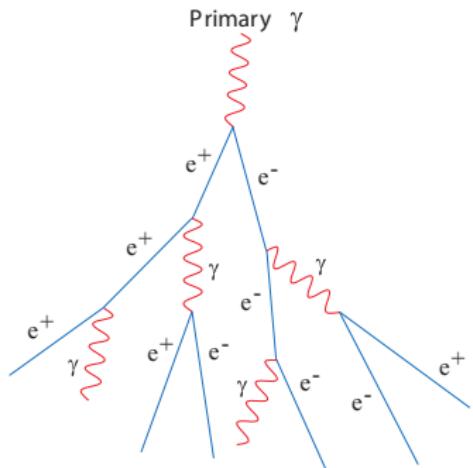


Imaging Air Cherenkov Technique

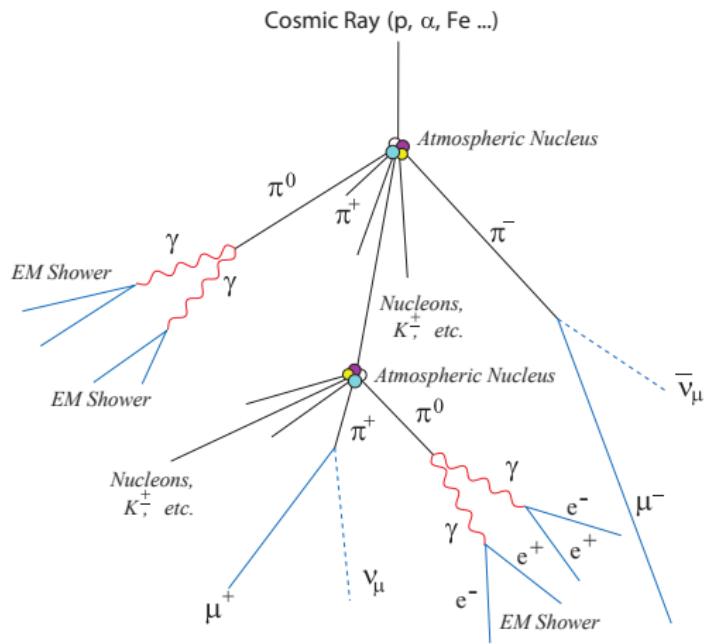


- ▶ image with elliptic shape
- ▶ background from cosmic rays, factor 1000

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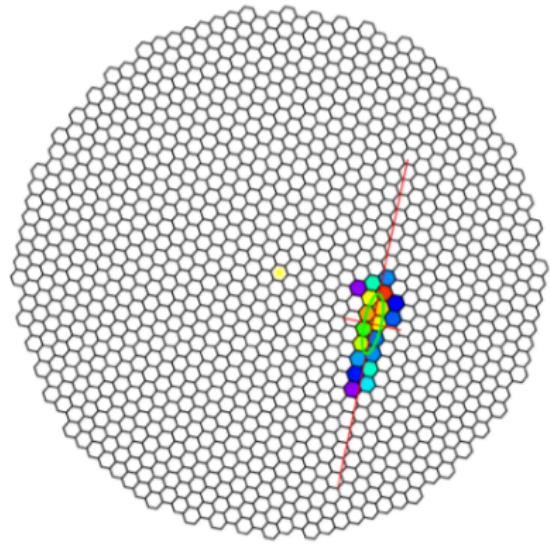


Hadron shower

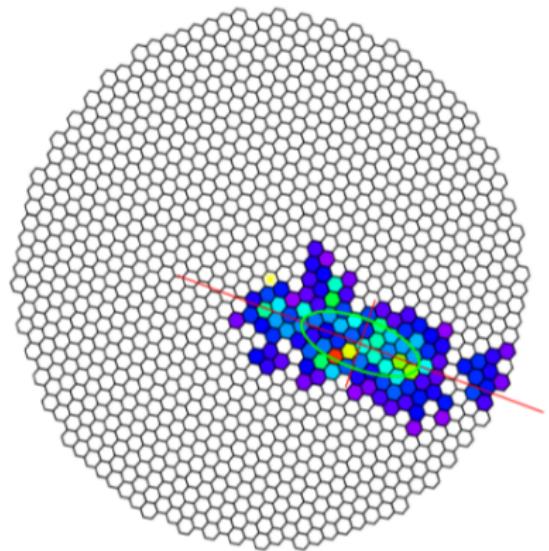


Shower in the Camera

Gamma

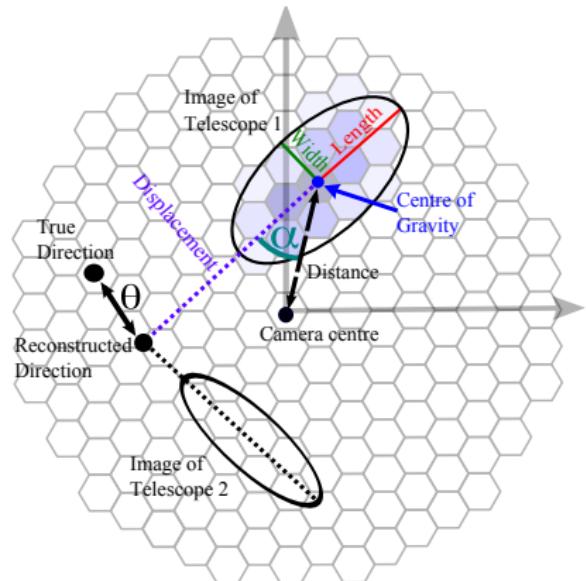


Proton



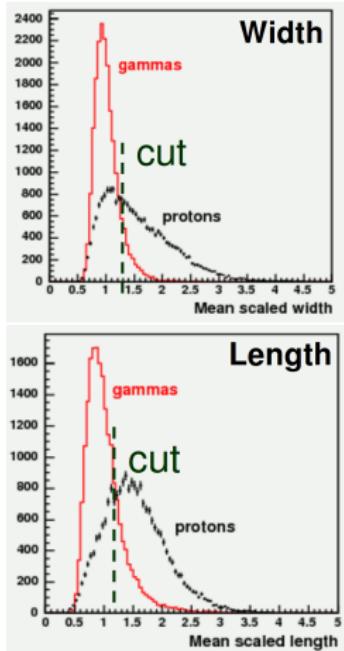
Current Analysis

Hillas Parameters

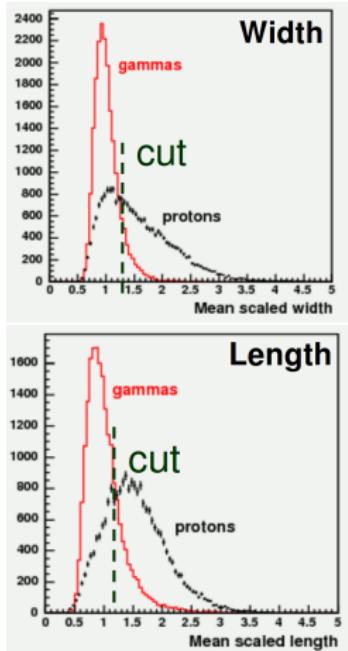


- ▶ calibrate
- ▶ clean image
- ▶ parametrize

Current Analysis



Current Analysis



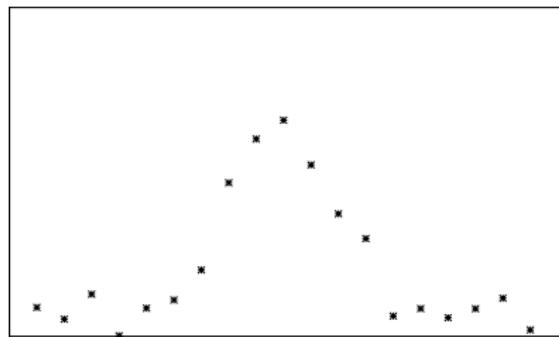
- ▶ Random Forest = many decision trees
- ▶ build with MC-gammas and real background
- ▶ determine hadronness for data

Model analysis

- ▶ parametrization may lose information

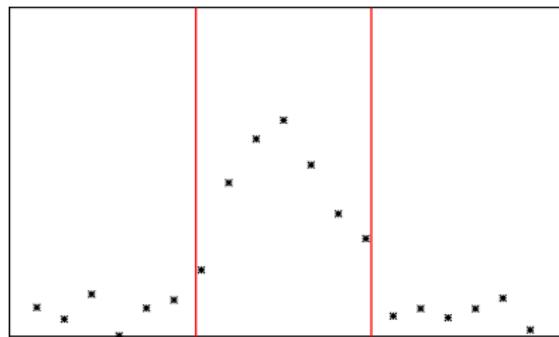
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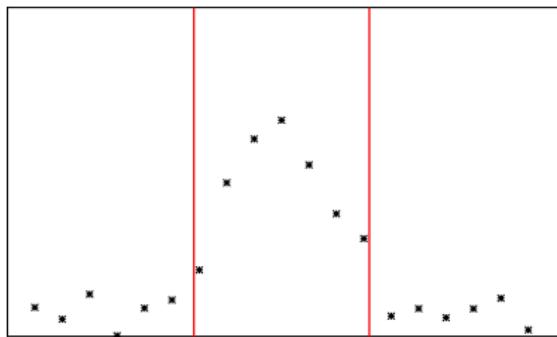
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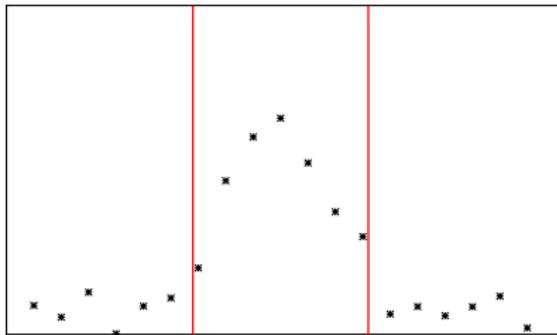
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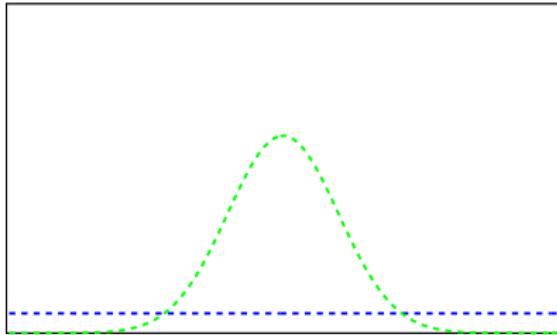
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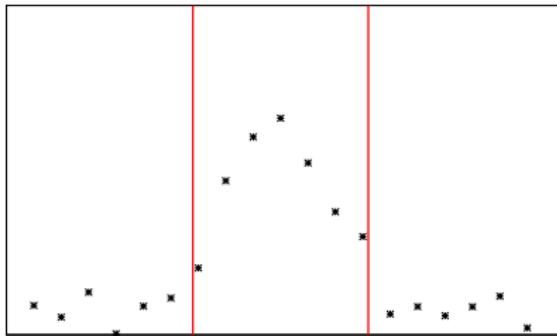


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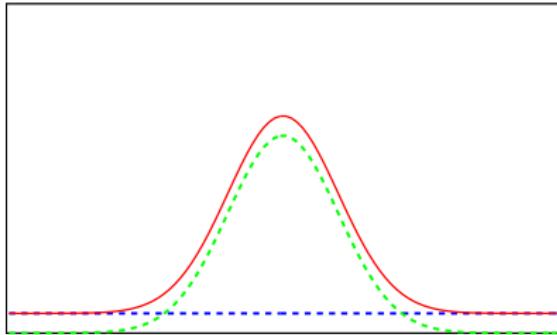


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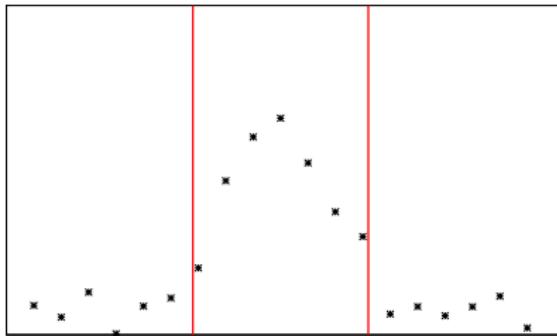


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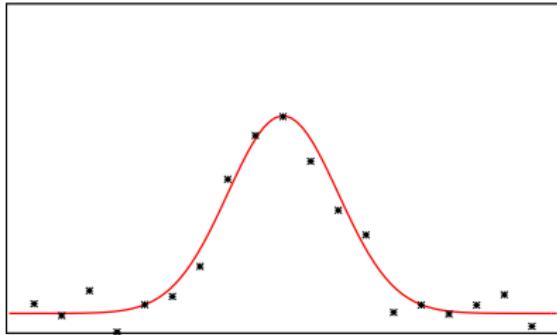


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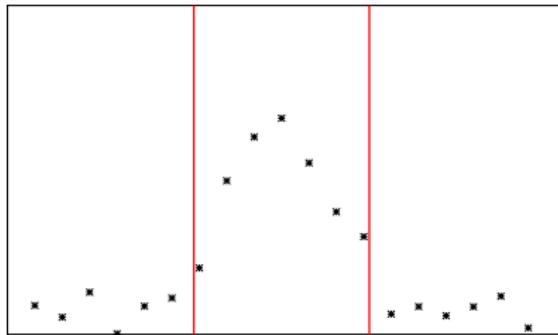


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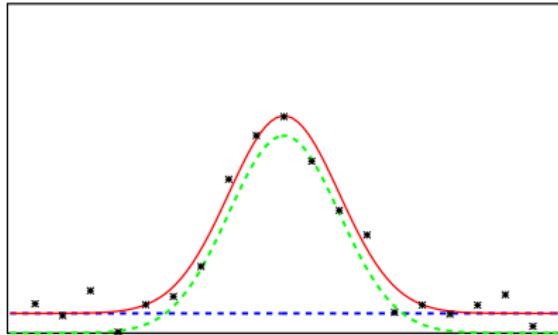


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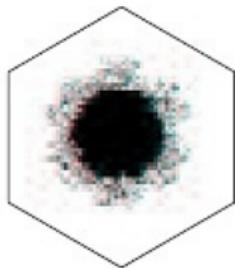


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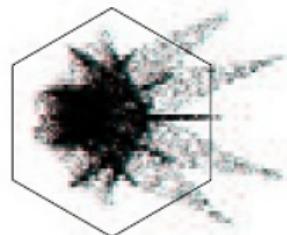


Model analysis

- ▶ template base with MC-simulations
- ▶ parameters: Energy, source position, telescope position,
....
- ▶ result: image in the camera plane, much finer bins
information: arrival time, amount of photons
- ▶ additionally: response of the telescopes

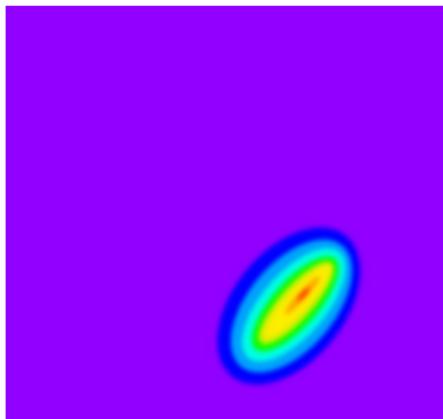


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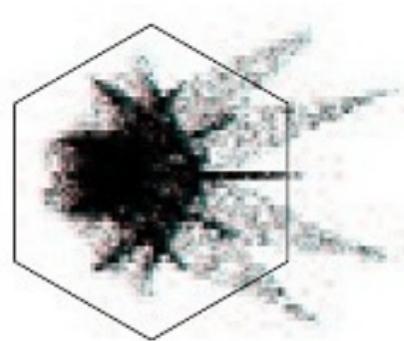


psf outside

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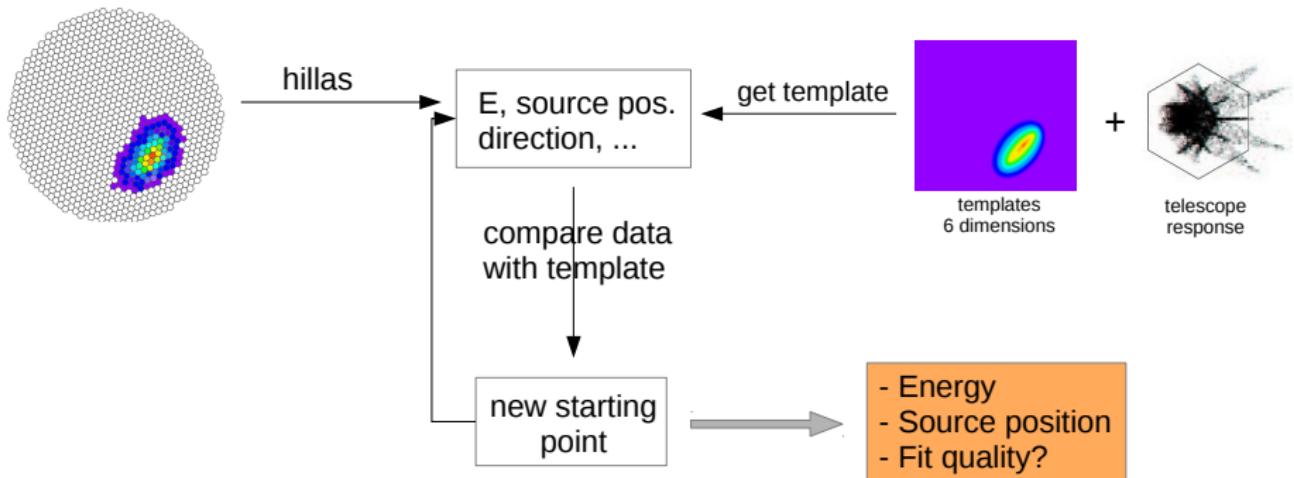


templates
6 dimensions



telescope
response

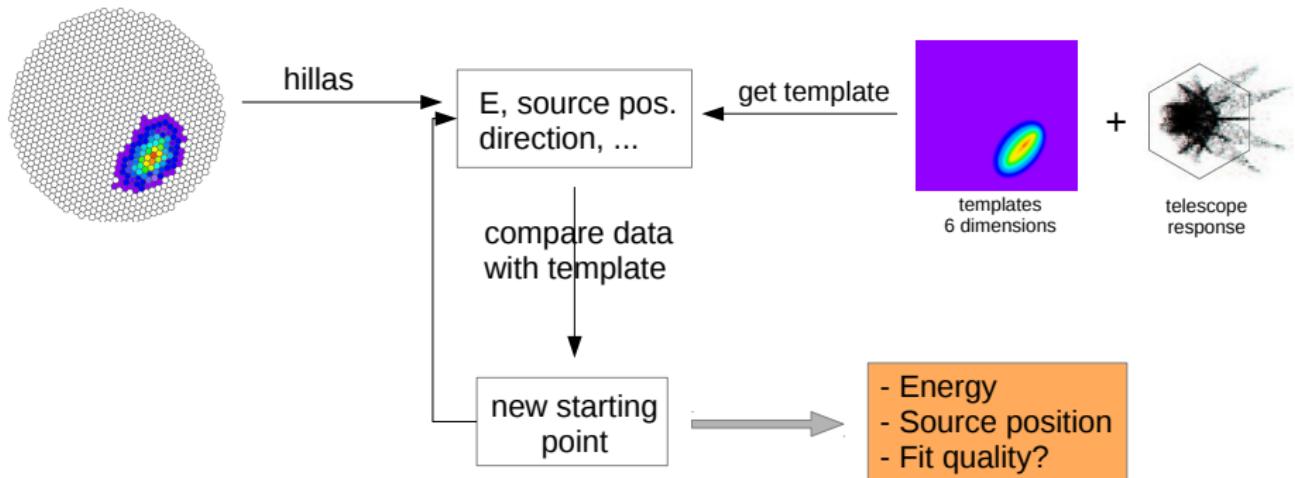
Model analysis



Model analysis

- ▶ compare real image pixel by pixel with averaged template
- ▶ use likelihood method
- ▶ include background

Model analysis



SUMMARY

- ▶ current analysis: comparing parameters
- ▶ model analysis: comparing images (pixels)
- ▶ done in HESS and for MAGIC mono
- ▶ expect to increase sensitivity
- ▶ additional, independent analysis method